



Clifty Falls State Park *October 1-15, 2009*

Nature Center open daily 9am-4pm EDT unless otherwise posted. GPS: N 38° 44.682 W 085° 25.163

Children under 13 must be accompanied by an adult. • Pets not allowed on hikes unless stated. For more information phone 812-273-0609.

Darrell Skinner, Property Mgr; Karen Hinton; Inn Mgr. Richard Davis, Hannah Milano, Zach Jones: Nature Center Staff

Volunteer Staff: Marie Pittman, Nature Center Hostess; Dave & Betty Forkert, Campground Hosts (Site 10) ~ For more information visit www.IN.gov/dnr/parklake.

Thursday, October 1

9am Jumpin' Jack Frost Tree ID Hike! Revealing look at American trees and the colors they will turn. Meets at Nature Center.

Friday, October 2

10am Forests Are More Than Trees! 'Tis the season of forest jubilee! Be sure and see this multi-media program on the American forest. Show time 10am at the Nature Center.

6pm The Camp Naturalist! Watch for the naturalist in the campgrounds with nature news and information on upcoming programs.

Saturday, October 3

10am Early Autumn Creek Peak! To the Creek! Explore rocks,



riffles, and critters of Clifty Creek. Rugged scenic hike starts

and ends at Hoffman Falls parking area. Lasts 75 min ±.

2pm Tree Stand-tastic! Join Zach for full coverage of the ups and downs of this basic hunting tool. Great for hunters, birders, and outdoor aficionados of all types. At the Nature Center pine grove.

Sunday, October 4

10am Vultures on Deck! Find out what makes vultures so vantastic! Meets on sun deck of Clifty Inn!

2pm Snakes Alive! Snakes are retreating into hibernation. Meet the black kingsnake up close at the Nature Center!

Mon. -Tue. October 5-6

2pm Turtle Feeding Time! Duck in the Center for turtle feeding time. Quite lovely time it is.

Wednesday October 7

11am Monarch Mania! Join our final search of 2009 for monarch butterflies. They're headed south for fall. Meets at the Campground Office.

Thursday, October 8

2pm Turtle Time! Meet the park's resident red-eared, box, and ninja turtles... live at the Nature Center!

Friday, October 9

2pm Forests Are More Than Trees! Amen! In this season of forest jubilee enjoy a colorful multi-media program on our American forests. At the Center.



6pm The Roving Camp Naturalist! The park interpreter roves the campground with news on nature and other good stuff.

Saturday, October 10

8:30am Bird Walk Easy walk for birds of the upland (and people too). Meets at the Nature Center.

Quest Program... Moms and Dads... something for your family to do... together... ask about this amazing program opportunity. Call or stop by the Nature Center for details

Saturday, October 10 cont.

2pm Critter Crafts! 'Tis the season of yellowjackets, bees and buzzing things. Kids, make your own buzzing whirling dervish at the Nature Center ...
7:30pm Movie Classics 'Two thumbs up' for "Smokey's Story" and "The Rise and Fall of the Great Lakes".. 20 minutes each at the campground amphitheater.

Sunday, October 11

11am Tower Trek Hike to the Lookout Tower for valley views and a bit of park history. Short, leisurely walk meets at the park Nature Center.

2pm Snakes Alive! Park snakes are retreating into hibernation. The complete story... at the Center

Monday, October 12

10am Discovery Walk! Nature always has something new to show us. Columbus Day "discovery" hike meets at the Park Pool Bath House.

Tuesday October 13

Enjoy early autumn color... the peak is just around the corner!

Wednesday, October 14

10am Oktoberbirds! Eye to eye with the downy and the nuthatch! Easy walk meets at the Center!

Thursday, October 15

9am Jumpin' Jack Frost Tree ID Hike! Revealing look at America's trees and the colors they turn. Meets at Nature Center.

"Awesome Autumn"
Camper Appreciation Days



October 16-18
Campsite Decorating!
Fall Festival Games!
Kids Trick or Treat!